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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJECT: REPORTED JAPANESE RED ARMY PRESENCE IN ACCRA:  
POSSIBLE THREAT TO AMBASSADOR BLACK

REF: STATE 253470 AND ACCRA 6397

1. WE HAVE ALSO DISCREETLY QUERIED FONOFF (AFRICA DIVISION  
CHIEF KUROKOCHI) ON NOVEMBER 18 REGARDING SUBJECT REPORT.  
HE SAID GOJ HAS NOT RECEIVED ANY INFORMATION  
ALONG THOSE LINES, BUT WILL BE ON LOOKOUT AND WILL BE  
SURE TO PASS IT TO US.

2. ON PURELY PERSONAL BASIS, KUROKOCHI SAID REPORT DID  
NOT SEEM TO RING TRUE BECAUSE JAPANESE RED ARMY, A CLOSE  
PFLP ALLY, IS NOT LIKELY TO CARRY OUT OPERATION IN  
PRO-ARAB COUNTRY LIKE GHANA. MOREOVER, HE ALSO  
MENTIONED ON HIS OWN THAT THE REPORTED THREAT READS  
LIKE THE THREAT MADE BY THE "TOGOLESE LIBERATION

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MOVEMENT" AGAINST UNNAMED AMBASSADORS IN A RECENT

OPEN LETTER. HE SAID THAT SO FAR THERE HAS BEEN NO  
CONNECTION BETWEEN THE TOGOLESE GROUP AND THE JAPANESE  
RED ARMY.  
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